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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 21, 2006 please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.